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THE HON. SRI C. RAJAGOPALACHARI :—" Not quite so simple, if it is also remembered that it was three years ago that the thing occurred."

SRI T. NAGI REDDI :—" ఈ ప్రశ్నకు ముఖ్య మంత్రిగారిచ్చిన సమాధానం చాలా అసంతృప్తికరంగా ఉన్నది. ఈ కేసుకు సంబంధించిన వాస్తవ విషయములను తెలుసుకొనుటకు ప్రభుత్వంవారు ఎట్టి ప్రయత్నము చేయదలచినట్లు కనుపించుటలేదు. నేరాలను బుద్ధిపూర్వకంగానే ఇతర రాజకీయ పక్షాలపై మోపటానికే ప్రయత్నిస్తున్నట్లు తోస్తోంది. ఎవరు నేరం చేశారు అనే విషయమై వాస్తవ విషయాలు రుజువు చేయుటకు మేము సంసిద్ధంగా ఉన్నాము. ప్రభుత్వంవారు ఇప్పుడైనా అన్వేషణ జరుపుటకు పూనుకుంటారా అని ప్రశ్నిస్తున్నాను."

THE HON. SRI C. RAJAGOPALACHARI :—" On the one hand, there was loot, murder and arson. On the other, there was police action. In between, a few small huts were pulled down. The Government are not prepared to hold an enquiry into this matter which occurred three years ago."

SRI T. VISWANATHAM :—" May I ask the Hon. the Chief Minister, because the incident occurred, just three years ago and because so much evidence is forthcoming, whether it will not be useful to institute an enquiry? Will the Government think of holding an enquiry? "

THE HON. SRI C. RAJAGOPALACHARI :—" If the Leader of the Opposition persists in restating the case, I can only persist in restating my difficulty. Even in matters where such incidents occurred last year, it is difficult to find any useful result. Three years ago, this took place. Both sides are interested, each in its own assertion and allegation. Oral evidence has to be taken now after three years. The Government are not prepared to have such an enquiry."

Purchase of Soviet and China publications by libraries.

* 16 Q.—SRI K. KRISHNA RAO : Will the Hon. the Minister for Education be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether the Director of Public Instruction has circularised to all libraries as get or expect Government grants that they should not get any journal or book from Moscow or Peking or any journal or book that gives a truthful picture of Soviet Union or China; and

(*b*) whether grants to libraries and educational institutions as get journals or books of the type mentioned in clause (*a*) have been stopped; and if so, their names?

THE HON. DR. M. V. KRISHNA RAO :—" (*a*) No.

" (*b*) Does not arise."

SRI K. KRISHNA RAO :—" కొన్ని లైబ్రరీలవారు సోవియట్ పుస్తకములను తెప్పించుకొనేదమని Director of Public Instruction గారికి తెలుపుకొనగా, ఆయన ఆ పుస్తకాలు కొనినట్లైతే మీకు గ్రాంటులు రావని చెప్పిన మాట నిజమేనా ?'

THE HON. DR. M. V. KRISHNA RAO :—" I want notice. But the present procedure is that it is not considered necessary to maintain a list of periodicals and journals so far as public libraries and reading rooms are concerned. They are permitted to purchase these in conformity with the rules under the Madras Public Libraries Act which is in force now."

SRI VAVILALA GOPALAKRISHNAIAH —" గుంటూరు, నెల్లూరు జిల్లాలలోని కొన్ని లైబ్రరీ సంస్థలవారు సోవియట్ పుస్తకములను జాబితాలలో చేర్చి విద్యాశాఖాధికారుల ఆమోదానికిపంపిన సందర్భంలో, అట్టి పుస్తకములను జాబితాలలో నుండి తీసివేయనిదే గ్రాంటులివ్వమని తెలిపినట్లు ఫిర్యాదులేమైనా వచ్చాయా ? వచ్చినట్లయితే ఏమి చర్య తీసుకున్నారు."

THE HON. DR. M. V. KRISHNA RAO :—" What the hon. Member has referred to is not in accordance with the procedure and rules now in force."

SRI T. LAKSHMINARAYANA REDDI :—" ప్రభుత్వం ఆ విధంగా ఉత్తరువులివ్వలేదని మంత్రిగారు చెప్పారు. లైబ్రరీలు పుస్తకములు తెచ్చుకొనుటలో అధికారులు ఎట్టి అభ్యంతరాలు తెలుపరాదని ఉత్తరువులు జారీచేస్తారా ?"

THE HON. DR. M. V. KRISHNA RAO :—" I have already stated that rules under the Madras Public Libraries Act are in force and followed; these can be found at page 3 of the rules under the Act."

Representations from the ryots of Bapatla.

* 17 *Q.*—SRI D. LAKSHMAYYA (on behalf of Sri V. Sri Krishna) : Will the Hon. the Minister for Agriculture be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether the Government have received any representations regarding the compensation offered to the ryots of Bapatla for the lands acquired for the Agricultural College (Experimental Farms) ;

(*b*) whether it is a fact that the owners have not yet taken the amounts as a protest against the rate of compensation awarded to them ; and

(*c*) whether the Government are reconsidering the matter to see that adequate compensation is paid at the market value to the poor ryots affected by this acquisition?

THE HON. DR. R. NAGAN GOUDA :—" (*a*) Some ryots of Upperapalem village, Bapatla taluk, represented to Government in August last year that they might be paid compensation for the lands acquired by Government for the Agricultural College at the rate of Rs. 5,000 per acre. They were informed that they might make their representations to the Land Acquisition Officer.